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Long Distance International, Inc.

Petition for withdrawal of Certificate of Interexchange Service Authority

Docket No.

## **PETITION**

NOW COMES Long Distance International, Inc. ("LDI") and petitions this Honorable Commission for withdrawal of its Certificate of Interexchange Service Authority, and cancellation of its tariff, Illinois C.C. Tariff No. 1. In support of this petition, applicant states as follows:

- 1. LDI holds a Certificate to provide intrastate telecommunications services in Illinois pursuant to this Commission's Order in Docket No. 95-0515. In compliance with that Order, LDI filed tariff Illinois C.C. No. 1 setting forth the rates, rules and regulations for its intrastate services.
- 2. As a result of an internal company decision to cease providing intrastate services in the State of Illinois, LDI will no longer provide intrastate service or utilize its certification in the State of Illinois.
- 3. LDI ceased marketing and has not provided service to any customers within the State of Illinois for over a year. Therefore, LDI requests that the Notice of Discontinuance required by Section 13-406 of the Public Utilities Act be waived.

WHEREFORE, LDI respectfully requests that this Honorable Commission:

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- Grant its Petition to Withdraw the Certificate of Interexchange Service Authority À. granted in Docket No. 95-0515;
  - Grant its Petition to cancel Nationwide Telecom, Inc.'s Illinois C.C. Tariff No. 1; В.
- Grant its Request for Waiver of the Notice of Discontinuance required by Section 13-C. 406 of the Public Utilities Act;
  - D. Hold any hearings which might be necessary in connection with this filing:
  - E. Grant any appropriate relief.

Respectfully Submitted

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## **VERIFICATION**

I, David Hess, being duly sworn, state that I am President of Long Distance International, Inc., that I have read the foregoing Petition, and the contents thereof are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

David Hess

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this  $\frac{\cancel{6}^{n0}}{\text{day of } \cancel{\underline{JUMP}}}$ , 2000.

My commission expires at

death.